American Indian/Alaska Native Health Lecture Series



DATE:

Monday, April 25, 2016

TIME:

11:00 AM Refreshments 11:30-12:30 PM Lecture followed by discussion

LOCATION:

OHSU, University Hospital 8th Floor Auditorium (OHS 8B60) 3181 SW Sam Jackson Park Rd. Portland, OR 97239

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A Tribal Perspective: Partnering with *On Track OHSU!*

Presented by On Track Ohsu! and Deanie Smith, M.Ed. Chair, Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs Education Committee



Susan Shugerman, MFA, Ed.D., OHSU Assistant Vice Provost for Education Outreach and Collaboration has worked in education program development for over 20 years and is the frontline face-to-face connection with many community partners enhancing relationships for *On Track OHSU!*

Katie Lenahan, BS, Director, *On Track OHSU!*, is responsible for development and delivery of all program components, including content development, volunteer recruitment and training, partner relations, program assessment, data collection & reporting.

Deanie Smith, M.Ed., Chair of the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs Education Committee, grew up on the Warm Springs Indian reservation, left to pursue higher education and came home with a Master's Degree in the field of Education. Today, she works with the tribe's Culture & Heritage Department implementing Native language classes before and after school. After completing her education, Deanie wanted to make sure that students from Warm Springs are aware of the educational opportunities available to them, and to ensure that students value their native culture throughout their education.

On Track OHSU! and the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs Education Committee have partnered to increase the number of Native students from the Warm Springs K-8 Academy and Madras High School located in Jefferson County School District 509J in health sciences pathways and OHSU's schools and programs.

The lecture presentation will discuss the formation of the OHSU-tribal partnership, local planning and current implementation efforts and future goals.